



**COMMERCIAL AND INQUIRY AGENTS AMENDMENT  
ACT 1983**

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**No. 66 of 1983**

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**AN ACT to amend the Commercial and Inquiry Agents Act 1974.**

[Royal Assent 2 December 1983]

**BE** it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

**1**—This Act may be cited as the *Commercial and Inquiry Agents* Short title. *Amendment Act 1983.*

Commence-  
ment.

**2**—(1) This section and section 1 shall commence on the day on which this Act receives the royal assent.

(2) Except as provided in subsection (1), this Act shall commence on a day to be fixed by proclamation.

Principal Act.

**3**—In this Act, the *Commercial and Inquiry Agents Act 1974\** is referred to as the Principal Act.

Amendment of  
section 2 of  
Principal Act  
(Interpre-  
tation).

**4**—Section 2 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting “Attorney-General’s Department” from the definition of “Secretary” and substituting “Law Department”.

Amendment of  
section 7 of  
Principal Act  
(Duration of  
licences).

**5**—Section 7 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

(a) by omitting from subsection (1) “a period of 12 months” and substituting “the specified period”;

(b) by omitting from subsection (1) “previously”; and

(c) by inserting after subsection (1) the following subsection:—

(1A) For the purposes of subsection (1), the “specified period” means a period of—

(a) 1 year;

(b) 2 years; or

(c) 3 years,

as specified in the application for the grant or renewal of that licence.

Application of  
section 7 of  
Principal Act,  
as amended.

**6**—Section 7 (1) of the Principal Act, as amended by this Act, applies only to a licence granted or renewed on or after the day on which this Act commences.

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\* No. 88 of 1974. For this Act, as amended to 1st May 1979, see the continuing Reprint of Statutes. Subsequently amended by No. 104 of 1982.